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June 7th, 2013

Chief, RCRA Waste Management & UST Section U.S. EPA Region 1 (OSRR07-1) 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 Boston, MA 02109-3912

Reference: IBM Corporation, Essex Junction, VT Wastewater Treatment Sludge Delisting (40 CFR 261, Appendix IX – Waste Excluded Under §§ 260.20 and 260.22, Table 1 – Wastes Excluded from Non-Specific Sources)

Subject: Submission of Analytical Results for the Third Quarter of the Required Quarterly Verification Testing

Dear Ms. Deabay:

As outlined in IBM Corporation's Wastewater Treatment Sludge Delisting (40 CFR 261, Appendix IX – Waste Excluded Under §§ 260.20 and 260.22, Table 1 – Wastes Excluded from Non-Specific Sources), IBM is providing the third quarter of analytical results required as part of the quarterly verification testing process. Sample collection and analysis were performed in accordance with the approved Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) dated 01/27/2011.

The analytical results for both representative samples (Attachment A) show all constituents in paragraph (1) of the delisting to be below detection limits and specified delisting levels.

If you have any questions concerning this information, please contact one of the following members of my staff:

Candice Callahan by telephone at 769-0579 or electronically at ccallaha@us.ibm.com
David Kost by telephone at 769-2761 or electronically at dlkost@us.ibm.com

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this demonstration and all attached documents, and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Sincerely,

Thomas Jagielski

Manager of Environmental, Construction, & Planning, STG Environmental Affairs Focal Point

Attachments:

Attachment A: Analytical Results for Two Representative Samples with Corresponding Analytical Laboratory Reports and Laboratory QC Reports

Attachment A
Analytical Results for Two Representative Samples with Corresponding Analytical
Laboratory Reports and Laboratory QC Reports



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Mail Stop 966A

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Essex Jct, VT 05452

Atten: Dave Kost

PROJECT: WW Sludge TCLP Metals

WORK ORDER: 1304-05415

DATE RECEIVED: April 10, 2013

DATE REPORTED: April 25, 2013

SAMPLER:

Laboratory Report

Enclosed please find the results of the analyses performed for the samples referenced on the attached chain of custody. All required method quality control elements including instrument calibration were performed in accordance with method requirements and determined to be acceptable unless otherwise noted.

The column labeled Lab/Tech in the accompanying report denotes the laboratory facility where the testing was performed and the technician who conducted the assay. A "W" designates the Williston, VT lab under NELAC certification ELAP 11263; "R" designates the Lebanon, NH facility under certification NH 2037 and "N" the Plattsburgh, NY lab under certification ELAP 11892. "Sub" indicates the testing was performed by a subcontracted laboratory. The accreditation status of the subcontracted lab is referenced in the corresponding NELAC and Qual fields.

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Reviewed by:

Harry B. Locker, Ph.D. Laboratory Director





Laboratory Report

CLIENT: IBM

DATE REPORTED: 04/25/2013

WORK ORDER: 1304-05415 DATE RECEIVED: 04/10/2013

PROJECT: WW Sludge TCLP Metals DATE RECEIVED: 04/10/2013								
001 Site: Sludge Plugs			Ε	Pate Sampled: 4/10/13	Time: 12	2:24]	
<u>Parameter</u>	Result	<u>Units</u>	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Lab/Tech	<u>NELAC</u>	Qual.	
TCLP Extract-SVOA/Metals	Completed		EPA 1311	4/11/13	W LG	A		
Arsenic, Total TCLP	< 0.50	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/15/13	W LJF	A		
Barium, Total TCLP	< 1.0	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/15/13	W LJF	A		
Cadmium, Total TCLP	< 0.020	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/15/13	W LJF	A		
Chromium, Total TCLP	< 0.05	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/15/13	W LJF	A		
Lead, Total TCLP	< 0.20	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/16/13	W LJF	A		
Mercury, Total TCLP	< 0.010	mg/L	EPA 7470	4/16/13	W CM	A		
Nickel, Total TCLP	< 0.10	mg/L	EPA 6010B	4/15/13	W LJF	A		





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QC Data Interpretation Report EPA 7470 Mercury-TCLP

Client: **IBM** Work Order: 1304-05415 Project: WW Sludge-Metals Sample Date: April 9-10, 2013 April 25. 2013 Report Date: Analysis Date: Aprl 16. 2013 Receive Date: April 10, 2013 Analytical Batch #: 74273

Analytical Run Sequence

		Result as			Reported Value
	Run Sequence Identification	ug/L	Target	% Recovery	mg/L
	Calibration Verification:	2.093	<u>2</u>	<u>105%</u>	
	Laboratory Reagent Blank	0.017			
Independ	ent Laboratory Fortified Blank:	2.099	<u>2</u>	<u>105.0%</u>	
	Continuing Calibration Check	<u>2.126</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>106%</u>	
	1304-05415-001	0.192			< 0.010
	Matrix Spike of 05415-001	2.160	<u>2</u>	<u>108%</u>	
	Matrix Spike Duplicate	<u>2.174</u>		0.6%	% Difference
	Continuing Calibration Check	<u>2.103</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>105%</u>	

Notes:

All Method associated Quality Control was within acceptance limits

- -Instrument Quantitation Limit is 1.0ug/L
- All TCLP analyses are analyzed at a 1-10 dilution.
- -Calibration Verification acceptance limits: 90%-110%
 -Laboratory Fortified Blank (QC) control limits: 90%-110%
- -Laboratory Reagent Blank (LRB) was free of contaminant affecting analytical results.
- -Duplicate Percent Relative Standard Deviation Limits: 20%
- -Matrix Spike Acceptance Limits: 85%-115%

Client: IBM Work Order #: 1304-05415 Date Analyzed: April 15 & 16, 2013

Project: WW Sludge-Metals Date Received: April 10, 2013 Analytical Batch #: 74,589

Sampled: April 9-10, 2013 Date Reported: April 25, 2013

	Int. (Chk.	C	CV	LF	-B	LRB	1304-04	1515-001	Spiked	MS (I	LFM)	MS	SD	C	CV
Parameter	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Rec	(mg/L)	mg/L *	Reported	Sample **	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Diff	mg/L	% Rec
Arsenic	0.0046	NA	0.9321	93%	1.0635	106%	0.0033	0.0129	< 0.5	0.0094	1.1136	111%	1.0848	2.6%	0.915	92%
Barium	0.4994	100%	1.0415	104%	1.10554	111%	-0.0044	0.0023	< 1.0	0.1507	1.1783	103%	1.1649	1.1%	1.0657	107%
Cadmium	0.9815	98.2%	0.0957	96%	0.1082	108.2%	-0.0001	-0.0014	< 0.02	0.0021	0.1114	111%	0.1081	3.0%	0.0939	94%
Chromium	0.4909	98.2%	0.6986	69.9%	1.0852	108.5%	0.0003	0.0011	< 0.05	0.0048	1.0904	109%	1.0679	2.1%	1.0029	100%
Lead ***	0.9973	99.7%	1.0327	103.3%	1.0937	109.4%	0.0022	0.0003	< 0.20	0.009	1.0571	106%	1.0878	2.9%	1.0645	106.5%
Nickel	0.9651	96.5%	0.9342	93%	1.0517	105.2%	-0.0004	-0.0002	< 0.10	0.0096	1.0653	107%	1.0365	2.7%	0.9295	93.0%

Notes:

- * SOP is to digest at a 1-10 dilution. mg/L value is instrument measurement not accounting for dilution.
- ** Batch Matrix Spike performed on non-project sample.
- *** Lead analyzed on 4/16/13, All other metals analyzed on 4/15/13
- NA: Not Available. Sample not assessed for this element.
- All QA parameters were within acceptance limits unless otherwise noted. Bold Font indicates value outside laboratory acceptance limits
- (Int. Chk.) Interference Check acceptance limits: 70 130%.
- (CCV) Continuing Calibration Verification acceptance limits: 90 110%.
- (LFB) Laboratory Fortified Blank digested in TCLP Buffer acceptance limits are 85-115%.
- (LRB) Laboratory Reagent Blank digested in TCLP Buffer was free of contaminant affecting analytical results.
- (MS) Matrix Spike acceptance limits: 70 130%. Values were determined to be within method acceptance limits unless noted.
- (MSD) Matrix Spike Duplicatee relative percent difference (RPD) acceptance criteria is < 20%.

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Atten: Dave Kost

PROJECT: WW Sludge TCLP Metals

WORK ORDER: 1305-08714

DATE RECEIVED: May 24, 2013

DATE REPORTED: June 06, 2013

SAMPLER: Roland Luxenburg

Laboratory Report

Enclosed please find the results of the analyses performed for the samples referenced on the attached chain of custody. All required method quality control elements including instrument calibration were performed in accordance with method requirements and determined to be acceptable unless otherwise noted.

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Laboratory Report

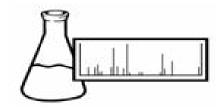
CLIENT: IBM

DATE REPORTED: 06/06/2013

WORK ORDER: 1305-08714

PROJECT: WW Sludge TCLP Metals DATE RECEIVED: 05/24/2013							
001 Site: Sludge Plugs			D	ate Sampled: 5/14/13	Time: 5	:30	
Parameter	Result	<u>Units</u>	Method	Analysis Date/Time	Lab/Tech	<u>NELAC</u>	Qual.
TCLP Extract-SVOA/Metals	Completed		EPA 1311	5/28/13	W LG	A	
Arsenic, Total TCLP	< 0.50	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	
Barium, Total TCLP	< 1.0	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	
Cadmium, Total TCLP	< 0.020	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	
Chromium, Total TCLP	< 0.05	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	
Lead, Total TCLP	< 0.20	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	
Mercury, Total TCLP	< 0.010	mg/L	EPA 7470	6/5/13	W CM	A	
Nickel, Total TCLP	< 0.10	mg/L	EPA 6010B	6/3/13	W LJF	A	





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QC Data Interpretation Report EPA 7470 Mercury-TCLP

Work Order: Client: **IBM** 1305-08714 WW Sludge-Metals Sample Date: Project: May 13-14 2013 June 5, 2013 Report Date: June 6, 2013 Analysis Date: Receive Date: May 15, 2013 Analytical Batch #: 76541

Analytical Run Sequence

	Result as			Reported Value
Run Sequence Identification	ug/L	Target	% Recovery	mg/L
Calibration Verification:	2.066	<u>2</u>	<u>103%</u>	
Laboratory Reagent Blank	<u>-0.019</u>			
Independent Laboratory Fortified Blank:	<u>1.978</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>98.9%</u>	
1305-08714-001	<u>-0.016</u>			< 0.010
Matrix Spike of 08714-001	1.939	<u>2</u>	<u>97%</u>	
Matrix Spike Duplicate	1.932		0.4%	% Difference
Continuing Calibration Check	<u>2.106</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>105%</u>	

Notes:

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Laboratory Data Quality Report EPA 6010B- ICP Metals TCLP

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Client: IBM Work Order #: 1305-08714 Date Analyzed: June 3, 2013
Project: WW Sludge-Metals Date Received: May 15, 2013 Analytical Batch #: 76,565

Sampled: May 13-14, 2013 Date Reported: June 6, 2013

	Int.	Chk.	C	CV	LF	-B	LRB	1305-08	3714-001	MS (L	_FM)	MS	SD	CO	CV
Parameter	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Rec	(mg/L)	mg/L *	Reported	mg/L	% Rec	mg/L	% Diff	mg/L	% Rec
Arsenic	-0.0118	NA	1.004	100%	0.9976	99.8%	-0.0032	-0.0126	< 0.5	1.0519	105.2%	1.0325	1.9%	0.9962	99.6%
Barium	0.4909	98.2%	0.9948	99.5%	1.0126	101.3%	-0.0004	0.0068	< 1.0	0.9752	97.5%	0.9684	0.7%	0.9985	99.9%
Cadmium	1.005	100.5%	0.1003	100.3%	0.0987	98.7%	0.0000	0.0003	< 0.02	0.0979	97.9%	0.0969	1.0%	0.0995	99.5%
Chromium	0.4994	99.9%	1.0285	102.9%	1.0367	103.7%	0.0010	0.0031	< 0.05	1.0294	102.9%	1.0209	0.8%	1.0236	102.4%
Lead ***	0.9329	93.3%	1.0031	100.3%	0.9996	100.0%	0.0021	-0.0015	< 0.20	0.9574	95.7%	0.9465	1.1%	0.9788	97.9%
Nickel	0.9514	95.1%	1.0021	100.2%	0.9982	99.8%	0.0002	0.0020	< 0.10	0.9716	97.2%	0.9592	1.3%	0.9944	99.4%

Notes:

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